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PATENT  
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IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Hideaki WATANABE

Conf. 9332

Application No. 10/677,535

Group 2871

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Examiner Jeanne Di Grazio

LCD DEVICE HAVING A REDUCED  
NUMBER OF COMPONENTS

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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April 3, 2006

Sir:

In response to the Official Action mailed November 16, 2005 and the Advisory Action mailed March 9, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 7 of this paper.